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### **LIST OF PENDING U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS**

The following pending U.S. patent applications are listed for consideration by the Examiner.

 No. 10/463,961 entitled "INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PACKAGE CONFIGURATION INCORPORATING SHIELDED CIRCUIT ELEMENT STRUCTURE", filed October 15, 2002, Derrick C. Wei et al., inventors.

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